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Re application of:

Seiichi Mori

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to January 3, 2005 (the next business day following Sunday, January 2, 2005), the period for response to the final Office Action dated January 5, 2004. A one-month extension of time was previously obtained. A check for \$910.00 is enclosed to pay the remainder due for the third month extension of time. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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